



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Naoyuki TANIGUCHI et al.

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Title: GLYCOSYLTRANSFERASE GNT-V HAVING NEOVASCULARIZATION ACTION
(As Amended)

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT & AMENDMENT

Sir:

This paper responds to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Official Action mailed December 16, 2005. A two-month extension of time and corresponding fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2) are being submitted concurrently herewith extending the time period of response until March 16, 2006.